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DESPONDENT MAN COMMITS SUICIDE SATURDAY NIGHT

George Vudmaskie, aged 29 years, of 173 Third street, committed suicide Saturday night by shooting himself in the breast while lying on the bed in his room.

The shooting occurred about 10 o'clock Saturday night, there being no one about but the laudlady and she ran for neighbors. After some help gathered, a doctor was summoned, but the wound was fatal, the man dying Sunday morning.

George, it appears, had been a suffered from lung trouble for about a year, and had brooded much over his trouble and had told friends many times he was tired of living. Before his illness came on, deceased was employed as a laborer at the Page mill. He was of Hungarian birth and had only one step brother in this country. The funeral was held from the Check morgue, Sixth street, this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment in Grandview cemetery.

TELEPHONE OPERATOR INJURED

Miss Winifred Donovan of Hazzard, was seriously injured Friday afternoon when she was struck by an automobile driven by Alexander Collins of Nutts Hill near Victory. Miss Donovan is employed as operator at the Bell Telephone office and was waiting for a street car on Sara street when the accident occurred. Just as the street car approached the Sara street stop, Miss Donovan started toward it and was about to enter it when the Collins machine struck her and dragged her for nearly a half a block. The youth was driving at a high rate of speed and was unable to stop his machine at once.

The young lady was removed to the Memorial hospital where it was found she had sustained a compound fracture of the left leg which required plating of the bone, a broken arm and bruises about the hands and body. Miss Donovan came to Hazzard nearly one year ago from Massachusetts, and makes her home with her sister and brother in law, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Kline of Sara street, Hazzard, near Monongahela.

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Pickpockets Are Rounded Up

In a roundup of alleged pickpockets in Braddock yesterday by County Detective Michael Berosky, five men were arrested; Nicholas McCormick, Thomas E. Wilson John Marcus, William Woods and F. H. Morton, all of Cleveland. They were placed in the Braddock Police Station. East Pittsburgh and Braddock police have received many complaints from persons who say that they have been robbed in the past several days.

Berosky has arrested 11 alleged pickpockets in a week. He says that one of the men told him it had been reported in Cleveland that this district was one of the "easy pickings" in the country for pickpockets and that more than 100 of them came here from Cleveland.

STAR THEATRE

TODAY—Belle Bennett in "A Soul in Trust." In 7 reels.

TUESDAY—Edna Goodrich in American Maid." 5 reels.

Special next WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY—Jewel productions presents "THE KAISER, THE BEAST OF BERLIN," starring Rupert Julian, which played in the leading theatres of the world and conveys a powerful message to every American, showing German butchery and kultur revealed in all their hideousness. Showing the invasion of Belgium. The German intrigue and spy system. The Kaiser smashed in the jaw by a German officer. A picture which will make your blood boil. You cannot fight unless you see "The Kaiser." Admission, adults 25c. Children admitted for 11c until 4 p. m.

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Meyers Store

—Word has been received here that Ernest Ruder has arrived at his home in Mt. Pleasant, after spending the past few years in Germany. He endeavored to get home about the time the war broke out, but was prevented. He tells some interesting stories regarding his forced stay in Germany.

New Victor Records

June 1918

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Brings Heavy Suit Against Pennsylvania Railroad Co.

John W. Latchem, a Charleroi transfer man, has brought an action in trespass against the Pennsylvania Railroad company to recover $800 for a team of horses killed at the Speers crossing of the defendant company on August 16, 1916. The claim also includes a wagon and harness. The statement of claim sets forth that on the above date the horses in charge of a competent driver, were struck and killed by a train of the defendant company at this crossing. It is alleged that the company had allowed the weeds to grow to such an extent that the view of the railroad track was cut off. The wagon was loaded with a number of long telephone poles. It is alleged the company had full notice of the dangerous condition of this crossing.

MANY OVER SUNDAY ARRESTS MADE

Ollie Muston was the first offender called this morning before Burgess Stewart in police court. Ollie was from Daisytown and worked in a mine. He came to Monessen Saturday instead of attending the circus at Charleroi, and by doing so got loaded up with a little too much polinky and evenually picked up just a little too much drink to navigate, so he was locked up. This morning he was assessed $3.00, which he paid

John Deitz and George Musikis were tried for being drunk and disorderly near Third street, and for resisting an officer. Each was fined $5.00.

Ben Albert of Leeds avenue, was assessed $7.00 for letting a horse run at large, destroying gardens and lawns in the neighborhood where he lives.

Andy Hawith for being drunk and disorderly Saturday night, was fined $5.00.

Alex Vitosh for being drunk Saturday night paid a fine of $1.00.

Ronce Radiana was arrested Saturday night on a disorderly charge, and with difficulty landed in the lockup. After getting him landed he proceeded to raise a full fledged commition in general, seeming to think he could lick the entire police force, and tear his way to liberty. At last the night sergeant proceeded to turn the hose on him, and this he objected to, just about the time Chief Wheatley came in, and the same dose was given the obstreperous prisoner, and in the excitement Chief Wheatley put his arm through the bars to get the man down from the couch, when he grabbed the chief's right arm, squeezing it until this morning the arm resembled a piece of liver. The prisoner was fined $15.00 and costs.

VALUABLE CATTLE ELECTROCUTED

Andrew Brown, the Fayette City banker, lost nine head of cattle during the storm of last week from electrocution, when the high tension line of the West Penn company broke and fell on the animals. The cattle were grazing in the pasture field, over which the line runs. Some time in the afternoon the people at the farm house noticed smoke on the hills above the house but paid no further attention to it. Going out later they found nine of the cattle dead, all of them lying on their backs with feet in the air. Mr. Brown estimated that each of the animals was worth at least $90. In the same field were some blooded stock which he valued at $1,200 per head, but fortunately none of them were injured.

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MAN KILLED IN COLLISION BETWEEN AUTO AND MOTORCYCLE

SERMON TO GRADUATES LAST NIGHT

The baccalaureate sermon for the members of the graduating class of 1918 was delivered last evening in the High school auditorium by Dr. Camden M. Coburn of Allegheny College, and all those who heard say the address was all that an occasion of this kind could merit.

Dr. Coburn is a fluent speaker, a man of thorough education and in his talk he reviewed the work of youth from childhood up to the day of graduation, and the stepping out from high school into college or into the commercial world either to procure a better education or to mix in the maelstrom of life and follow along practical mercantile lines. The talk was practical, along religious, moral, educational and commercial lines, and the advice given members of the class if followed would lead along the straight and narrow way to success, honor and prosperity. There was a good attendance.

The commencement, class 1918, thirty-five members, will take place this evening in the auditorium, beginning at 8 o'clock. It the class are eighteen boys and seventeen girls.

SERVICES LARGELY ATTENDED

"Children's Day" services at the Christian church last night were very largely appreciated by the audience. The whole of yesterday at this church was devoted to the older folks having the morning service under the guidance of Rev. Swain, and the young folks had the evening. The program as published in this paper Saturday was followed out and all the children did well. The amount realized during the day for missions was very encouraging.

Is Wearing a Mask

—Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lohman have just received word from their son, Frank that he was well, but was wearing a "mask." So that indicates that he is in the trenches and right in the thick of the fray. Frank's letter was written on Mother's Day.

—Men's $2.00 and $2.50 Soft straw hats, special at $1.50—new, clean, fresh goods, good styles.—A. Nayhouse. F-M fp

Numerous Accidents Occurred Over Sunday.

Baby Killed and Others Seriously Injured When Auto Overturns In Forward Township.

One man was killed and another was injured, probably fatally, when a motorcycle struck an automobile on Chess street in Monongahela Saturday night.

The Dead

Harry Crookham, aged 29 of Monongahela; injured internally and died shortly after the accident in the Memorial hospital.

The Injured

Earl Townsend, aged 27, of Monongahela; collar bone broken and right arm fractured and probably injured internally; removed to Memorial hospital; condition critical.

The motorcycle was driven by Townsend and Crookham was riding in a sidecar, which was atached to the machine. Townsend apparently lost control of the motorcycle, causing it to smash into an automobile driven by Frank A. Underwood, a contractor in Monongahela. Underwood and occupants of his car escaped uninjured The motorcycle was wrecked. Physicians say that Townsend will probably die.

A six months old baby was killed instantly and four other persons injured yesterday afternoon when an automobile in which they were riding plunged into an embankment on a steep grade on the River road in Forward township and overturned, pinning the occupants beneath it.

The Dead

Dolores Girard, aged 6 months, daughter of Mrs. Katherine Girard, 204 North avenue, Pittsburg, head crushed. The body was taken to the Monongahela morgue.

The Injured

Mrs Katherine Girard, cut and bruised on the body.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Arnold of the North side, Pittsburg, cut on the face and body.

A J. Bauer, 1326 Reedsale street, Pittsburg, cut and arms and body bruised.

Bauer was driving the machine when the accident occurred. An automobile truck owned by the Velvet Ice Cream company of Monongahela had stalled on the road, which is narrow. Bauer's machine was traveling rapidly down the grade and he was unable to pass the truck.

Fearing his machine might plunge over an embankment on the right side of the road, Bauer steered to the left of the truck, causing the machine to hit the embankment and overtourn.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 3,—After a collision of his automobile with the Allegheny police patrol, Isadore Eisenstat, aged 19, of 6307 Fifth avenue, was arrested by Patrolman Joseph Richards charged with reckless driving The patrol was going west on North avenue shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon and Eisenstat, turning into North avenue from Irwin avenue in his machine, crashed into the patrol. Both machines were damaged slightly.

Wilmerding, Pa., June 2.—George Walters aged 23, of Wilmerding, was killed this afternoon when his motorcycle struck a McKeesport street car on a county road near Lincoln Heights, McKeesport He suffered a fractured skull and died shortly after the accident in the McKeesport hospital.

Connellsville, Pa., Patrolman H. H. Orndorff, aged 30, of Ohiopyle, died last night of injuries suffered in a motorcycle accident a week ago. Orndorff tried to ride a motorcycle for the first time with Martin Shipley and Martin Linderman, the owner, as passengers. It overturned on a curve, throwing all three men.

Olympic Theatre

JUNE CAPRICE
FOX FILMS

TODAY—June Caprice in "The Camouflage Kiss" and "The Eagles' Eye." Episode No. 8.

TUESDAY—May Allison in "Social Hypocrites." also Benjamin Chapin in "The Son of Democracy."

WEDNESDAY—Arnold Daly in "My Own United States," in nine reels.

THURSDAY—The famous Dolly Sisters in "The Million Dollar Dollies" in seven reels.

FRIDAY—Goldwyn special "Social Ambition," with an all star cast.

SATURDAY—Jane and Catherine Lee in "Trouble Makers."

Arnold Daly Will Appear in Great Patriotic Drama

"My Own United States"—The words send a thrill of pride through the veins of every genuine, red-blooded American. Those who have done the most for their country have always loved it most. The makers of its early history loved it with a passionate devotion. Such men as Hamilton, Jefferson, Lincoln, and Grant consecrated their lives to the welfare of the young republic

The noble deeds of these men live again in "My Own United States," which brings a message from the past for the guidance of the future. There is no one who will not be a better American for having seen it. It turns the pages of history in a fascinating way, never to be forgotten.

The great actor, Arnold Daly plays "The Man Without a Country," as well as his descendents of the present day. Duncan McRae plays the stately Hamilton. Love, action, pathos, and patriotism all have a full share in this moving picturebook of American history and ideals. See this picture at the Olympic theatre on Wednesday.

Canoe Upsets and Young Man Drowns

Frank Sell, aged 23, of New Kensington, was drowned and Joseph Smith aged 21 and Evener Walker, both of New Kensington narrowly escaped the same fate yesterday afternoon, when a canoe in which they were paddling in the Allegheny river near Tarentum overturned. Sell, who was a cripple, having the use of only one leg, seized Smith when the small craft upset and the two disappeared beneath the surface. Smith released himself and attempted to rescue Sell, but the latter dis disappeared and was drowned. Smith and Walker were rescued and revived by bathers. The body of Sell was later recovered.

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ALIENS IN THE ARMY

A soldier recently returned from camp reports that dealing with the non-English speaking soldiers is something of a problem. They cannot learn our language all in a moment. Many of them came from neighborhoods where they had heard little English spoken. They came over here when they were past school age, and they have never attended an English school of any kind.

We can see now what folly it has been to let all these people come in without effort to Americanize them. If they were past the usual school age, we complacently assumed they did not need to know any English. They have been a drag on our industrial efficiency. And now they not not at once become as good soldiers may think they are stupid.

Some of the young officers, it is said, do not show sufficient patience in dealing with them. They shout at them as if you could make them understand an unknown tongue merely by "hollering." That simply rattles them. An officer without much experience may think they are stupid.

The general report is that these aliens are showing splendid spirit. Many of them come from countries where the Germans and their allies have committed the most fiendish outrages They are only two glad for a chance to fight, and wish only they could take a crack at Kaiser Bill himself.

There is splendid soldier material in these fellows. We should prepare ourselves to take the fullest advantage of it. It is to be hoped that at the cantonments there are classes for all these boys. By the time they get to France, they ought clearly to understand all orders and be able to communicate freely in our tongue. It is hard to make a man an efficient soldier when he only grasps a portion of the things said to him.

A DEFENSIVE CAMPAIGN

"Why don't the allies go ahead and do something?" asked a woman the other day. "I am sick of this waiting around. Why don't they go ahead and march to Berlin?

This is a kind of talk that one hears frequently from people who are not studying the war news with any care.

The allies for the present are having to contend with the great army that was liberated from the Eastern front by the yellow collapse of Russia.

A million troops were thus set free to fall on the French and British line. In addition 600,000 new troops were secured, mostly from boys just come of draft age. For the time being this has given the Germans a big reserve. This reserve they can transport to any sector, and can fall on the French and British and push them back by superior numbers.

But they probably used up 400,000 of that 1,500,000 in the drive begining March 22. Half as many more will go in the attack just started on the Aisne. The weekly casualty list can't be under 25,000 men. It is easy to see what will become of that 1,500,000 men by next winter.

For the time being there seems little for the allies but to conduct a defensive campaign. The loss of ten miles or so by such an attack as that of the Aisne amounts to little. As long as the allies are swapping two of their men to three of the Germans, it is all to the good. When that reserve has gone, when the Americans finally get 1,000,000 men over there and equipped, there will be something doing.

The only loss of territory that can amount to anything will be territory lost on the part of the line next the channel ports. Behind that line great reserves are held ready. Elsewhere the allies can keep retreating in perfect confidence so long as the game of two men for three goes on.

RELIABLE ADVERTISED GOODS

It is no mere blind faith in printer's ink that leads the public to have faith in advertised goods. It is because the public knows that when the merchants calls attention in type to a certain proposition, he knows that it is a good one

A merchant who should invite people to his store to buy an article that he knew wouldn't give satisfaction, would be a fool. He knows that when he solicits attention to it in this public way, he must have something that a customer will be satisfied with.

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When a person buys stuff displayed in that way, he doesn't particularly blame the merchant if the thing fails to make good. He blames himself for being so eager to snap up what looked like a bargain, but wasn't.

Of course merchants frequently do work off cheap goods by advertising. But notice how careful they are not to exaggerate the value, and to see that the customer understands just what grade he is getting. Thus advertising makes for frankness and truth telling.

When a merchant comes out in a newspaper and says he has some line of special value, it can be depended upon that he is telling the truth.

EDITORIALETTES

The make-up girls observe the peach blossom season all the year around now.

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The new taxes will be heavy, but it's much better to pay Uncle Sam's war debt than to pay the Germans.

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The German soldiers have again kindly consented to come out of their safe trenches where they can be killed off at double the usual rate.

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1,000,000 of our boys in the trenche line by July 1, but then the Kaiser has told his faithful people that the Americans will all run home as soon as Bill says Shoo Fly.

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Meets Sudden Death

His love for children and their games cost the life of Peter Zimmerman, aged 48, of Proctor way, South Side, Pittsburg., who died from loss of blood on hillside overlooking West Liberty avenue yesterday afternoon, after he had accidently severed an artery in his right leg while making whistles from the branch of a tree for several small children, who witnessed the accident. Oscar Zimmerman, a brother, who was near when the accident occurred, and the children called for help but Zimmerman died before medical aid arrived.

According to the children Zimmerman met them on the hillside and, as he had done on previous occasions, consented to make whistles for them. After cutting a branch from a tree Zimmerman sat down on the grass, surrounded by the youngsters, and began to whittle the stick.

His knife slipped and the blade cut through his trousers and severed the artery Zimmerman rolled over in a semi-conscious conditions and the children screamed.

Oscar Zimmerman called to the crew of a street car to summon a doctor The conductor went to a telephone and notified Police Operator William Sloan who detailed the Mt. Washington police patrol to the scene but when the police arrived Zimmerman was dead

Choked Woman

Canton, O, June 2—George Noble aged 20, and married, is in jail here tonight charged with murder, having confessed that he choked Mrs Chas Whitmore, aged 20, to death in her home and robbed her of several hundred dollars' worth of jewelry

Noble spent the evening with the woman at a cafe where her husband is a waiter and then accompanied her home The body, bearing finger marks on the throat, was found, by Whitmore when he reached his home after midnight. Noble told the police Mrs Whitmore tried to take his money and that he killed the woman in the struggle to recover his money

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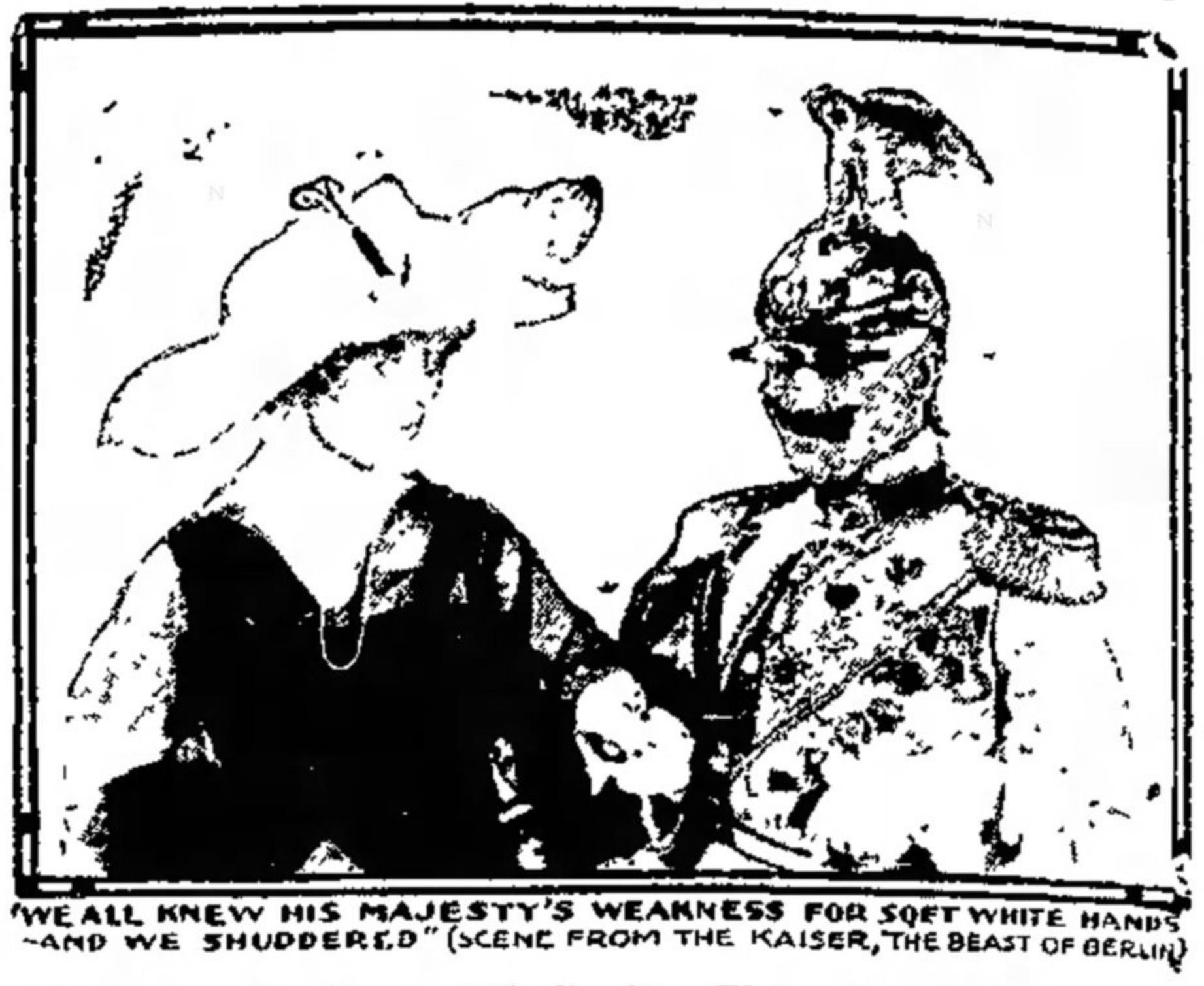
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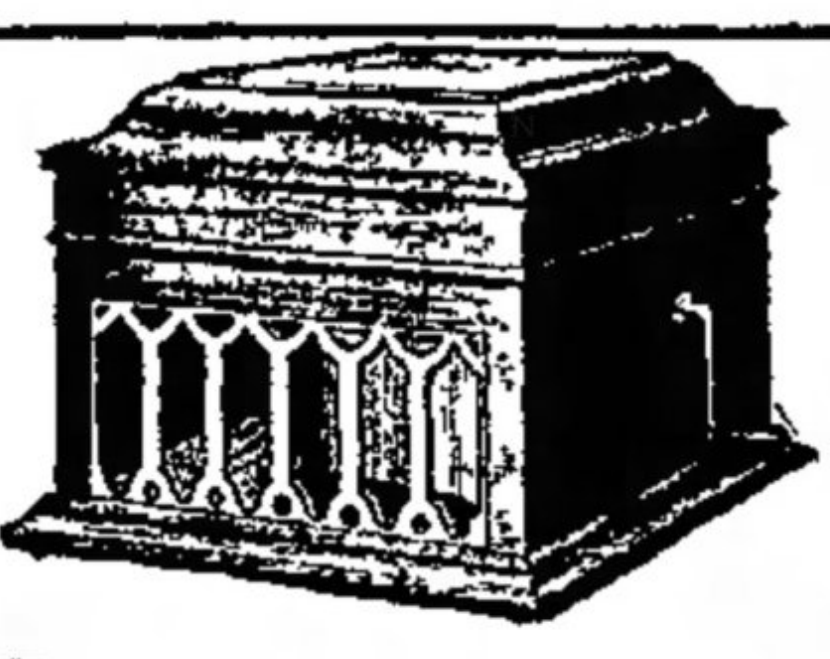

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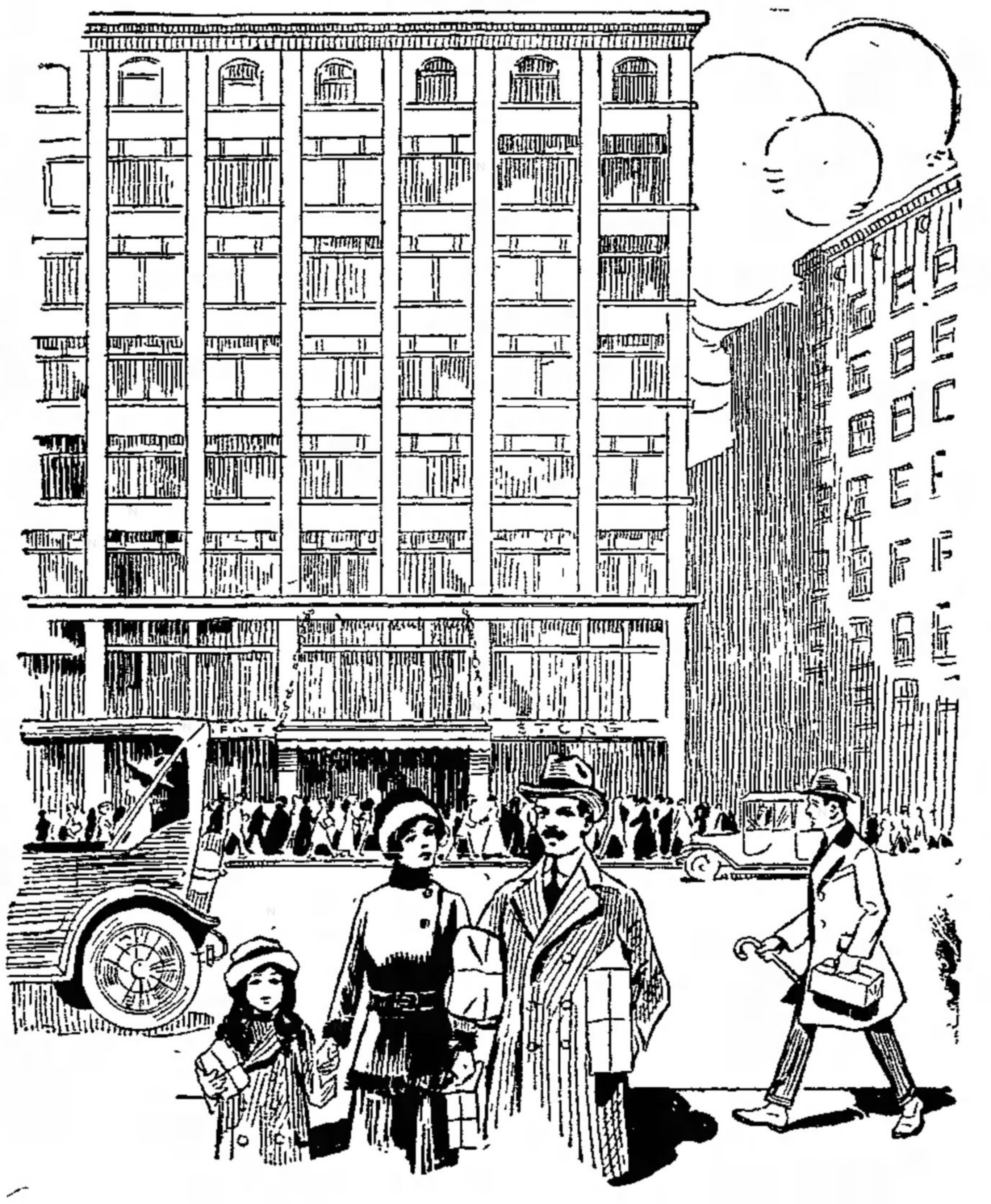

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TO make Every Day a Trade-at-Home Day. To make our town the best trading town in this locality. Not only once or twice a year, or once a month, or once a week. But every day. That is the only goal worth striving for. We can do it. Other towns have done it. And we have the same means that they had. All we need to do is get together. We can fight off outside competition by displaying each day the trade-at-home banner. Each day we can demonstrate the value of Home Buying.

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Want Column

WANTED—Immediately a porter at Hotel Victoria. 8-3t

WANTED—Driver at American Express Co. 101-6tp

WANTED—Girl for doctor's office: 1075 Schoonmaker. 06-2t

WANTED—Girl in confectionery; apply at Mikalarias & Berbatis. 8-tf

WANTED—Girl for general office work; apply M,Daily Independent. 99tf

WANTED—Firemen, steady work, good wages. Tri Cities Water Co., Charleroi, Pa. 93-tf

WANTED—Position as stenographer; address "H," care Independent. 05-3tp

TO LET—Two nicely furnished front rooms for light housekeeping; 817 Schoonmaker Avenue. 1tp

FOR SALE—Chickering Upright piano, $225; address "M" care Daily Independent. 06-3t

—FOR SALE—Household goods cheap; 428 Knox avenue. 06-6tp

TO LET—Nicely furnished front room suitable for one or two gentlemen; address A. D., care Independent. 06-3tp

TO LET—One furnished front room facing Fifth street, with porch, suitable for two gentlemen, 480 Schoonmaker. 8-2tp

WANTED—Private gararge for roadster, neighborhood of First and McKee. Address O, care Independent. 8-2tp

LOST—A key on Rostraver street or on Schoonmaker avenue. If found, return to 436 Donner avenue and receive reward. 06-6t

FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms for light housekeeping, American family only; No. 6 Schoonmaker avenue, near Oneida street; phone 667-M. 07-3tp

FOR SALE—Pop corn and peanut business in Olympic block, or will exchange for used car in good condition. Inquire Saturday evening. 06-2tp

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; 213 McKee avenue. 05-3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, 477 Reed avenue. 08-2tp

FOR SALE—Seven room house, reception hoom,, bath and furnace price $3900. First street hill. Address "H" care Independent. 8-6tp

FOR SALE—Indian motorcycle, very cheap, or will sell any part separate, two good tires, 3 tubes, chains, good Bosh magneta, exhaust whistle, good engine, and is going dirt cheap; call after 5:30, 39 Schoonmaker avenue. 8-2tp

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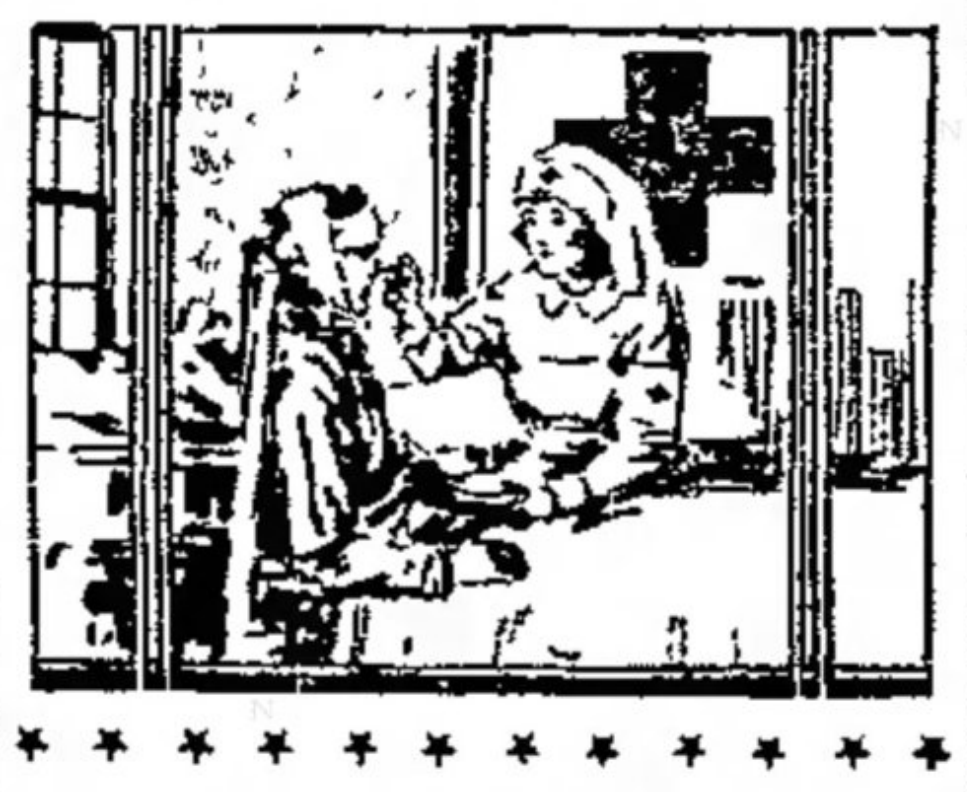
Remember the Firemen

—Keep in mind the firemen's entertainment Wednesday and Thursday evening in the High school auditorium. "A Family Affair" will please you and as the very best talent has been procured, an event worthy the patronage of Monessen's people is assured. Watch for the fire truck Tuesday and Wednesday evenings—just as a reminder.



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Babies Grow Whiter as Doctor and Nurse Serve Daily Baths From Door to Door.

"Good morning. We have come to give the children their bath," this, of course, said in good French. Then from off the motor car slides a portable shower bath, carried into the house by doctor and nurse.

For the next half hour that little cottage boasts of a bathroom in active service, for when the water is heated the blessing of a warm, clean shower pumped by the doctor falls on the head of Young France, while the nurse scrubs religiously and the darkening water bears witness of a whiter, cleaner child.

And as you might well imagine, the kiddies like it, except the last cold dash that the doctor slyly engineers by quickly transferring the supply pipe into a bucket of cold water—for hygienic effect.

And what a blessing it is to these meek, tortured people, who for months have been without all of life's comforts and most of life's necessities, to be ministered to in this fashion.

It is perhaps understandable to them that "les Americains" out of sheer pity might offer them that meager thing that civilization calls "charity." But to be clothed, fed, sheltered and cheered as they have been by our Red Cross is more than they can understand.

For they have seen a great miracle grow out of the darkest pit of human experience. They have seen a bright light out of which has stepped the ministering angel who has taught them to smile again. They are no longer sick. They are no longer cold nor hungry, and now, wonder of wonders, this same good friend has contrived in some magic way—still in the sound of the guns—to give them—baths.

NOTICE

In the Court of Common Pleas of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania.

Notice is hereby given that an application [illegible] the above court on the 20th day of June, 1918, at [illegible] Act of 1874 [illegible] approval of a [illegible] the Charter of S[illegible] Society of Mon[illegible] the Ruthenian [illegible] whereby the name [illegible] shall hereafter be UKRAINIAN Association TARAS SHEVCHENKO of Monessen, Penna. [illegible] The application may be examined at the office of the prothonotary.

Samuel M. Ankney,
Solicitor.

97-3twM

An Unique July Fourth Celebration

The Committee on Public Information issues the following:

The Fourth of July this year will be marked by a celebration unique in the history of the country—a great public demonstration of the foreign born to display their loyalty to the United States and to the war of civilization.

The President authorizes the publication of the following correspondence:

To the President of the United States:

On the Fourth of July, 1776, the foundation of this Republic began the movement for human liberty and the rights of nations to govern themselves. One hundred and forty-two years later we find the world democracy, of which this nation was a pioneer, formidably assailed by the powers of reaction and autocracy.

We represent those peoples whose sons and daughters came to this land later than the founders of the Republic, but drawn by the same ideals. The nations and races and peoples which we represent are taking their part in one way or another in the struggle. Some, happily enjoying a political entity, are fighting openly and with arms against the enemies of progress. Others, unhappily submerged, can give but a passive opposition. Others have been forced against their will into the armies of the common enemy. Finally, a few still remain outside, hard pressed, threatenedl by the mailed fist, dreading alike to be drawn in and to be found apart from ther est when the hour of settlement arrives. But all, through infinite suffering, struggle either blindly or open eyed toward the same end, the right of peoples to govern themselves as they themselves see fit, and a just and lasting peace.

The higher interests of the races which we left behind have become identical in this significant year with the higher interests of the United States. We regard ourselves now not only as members of an American commonwealth, one and invisible, but of a world commonwealth, equally indivisible. United for the principles of that democratic world-states which is fighting now for its being on the battle fields of Europe, we intend on July 4, 118, to manifest by special celebrations our loyalty to this country and to the cause for which we fight; and we respectfully request that you call the attention of your ellow citizens to this fact, in order that they may join with us in commemorating this, the anniversary not only of national freedom but of universal freedom.

The above has been signed by authorative heads of the following peoples and organization in the United States: Armenia, Asyrians, Belgians, Chinese, Bohemians, Moravians, Gilesians, Slovaks, Danes, French, Canadians, Americanized Germans, Greeks, Hungarians, Italians, Japanese, Lithunians, Poles Portugese, Russians, Roumanians, Croats, Serbs, Slavs, Swedes.

The President's reply follows:

To our citizens of foreign extraction:

I have read with great sympathy the petition addressed to me by your representatives bodies regarding your proposed celebration of Independence Day, and I wish to convey to you, in reply, my heartfelt appreciation for its expressions of loyalty and good will. Nothing in this war has been more gratifying than the manner in which our foreign-born fellow citizens and the sons and daughters of the foreign born have risen to this greatest of all national emergencies. You have shown where you stand, not only by your frequent professions of loyalty to the cause for which we fight but by your eager response to calls for patriotic service, including the supreme service of offering life in battle for justice, freedom and democracy. Before such devotion as you have shown, all distinctions of race vanish, and we feel ourselves citizens in a Republice of free spirits.

I therefore take pleasure in calling your petition, with my hearty commendation, to the attention of all my fellow countrymen, and I ask that they unite with you in making the Independence Day of this year when all the principles to which we stand pledged are on trial the most significant in our national history.

As July 4, 1776, was the dawn of democracy for this nation, let us on July 4, 1818, celebrate the birth of a new and greater spirit of democracy, by whose influence we hope and believe what the signers of the Declaration of Independentce dreamed of for themselves and their countrymen shall be fulfilled for all mankind.

I have asked the Committee on Public Information to co-operate with you in any arrangements you may wish to make for this celebration.

Woodrow Wilson.

Popular Teacher's Good Position

S. R. Grimm, who has been the principle of the Charleroi High school for a number of years, has been elected principal of the High school at Rochester, Beaver county, at a salary of $22[illegible] per year. He succeeds W. S. Taft, who has been appointed High school inspector. He assumed his duties today.

LOCAL NOTES

—See Arnold Daly in "My Own United States," at the Olympic theatre Wednesday. 1t

—Don't fail to see "THE KAISER, THE BEAST OF BERLIN" at the STAR next Wednesday and Thursday. 07-4t

—Mrs. J. Bendheim of Altoona, and Mrs. M. Bendheim of Chicago, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meyers at 459 McKee avenue.

—The Monessen Home Defense police will hereafter drill at the High schol building Wednesday evenings at 7:30 sharp—E. A. Wells, Capt.

—Barefoot Sandals, 75c; misses' and children's sandals, $1 25 values.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker avenue. F-M

—Four trained nurses will be graduated on June twentieth from the Monongahela hospital training school. The exercises will be held in the Presbyterian church in Monongahela.

—George Sherwin and George Myford left today for New Castle, where they will serve this week as delegates to the State convention of the B. P. O. Eagles.

—Infants' soft sole shoes, 49c, including every style and leather, very pretty designs.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker Ave. F-M

—Samuel Ferguson, of 480 Schoonmaker avenue, a patient in the Monongahela hospital for two weeks, has returned home much improved in health.

—Mrs. John Petrusky of this city is a patient in the Monongahela hospital where she was operated upon Saturday. Her many friends here wish her a speedy recovery.

—Boys' girls and children's Sneekers, white and black with rubber soles at special prices.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker avenue. F-M

—The Charleroi Mail has notified its patrons that the price of the paper will be advanced to two cents. This increase has been necessitated by the high cost and scarcity of paper.

—See the charming dancing Dolly Sisters in "The Million Dollar Dollies" a romantic mystery drama which comes to the Olympic theatre on Thursday. 1t

—Michael Sandula of First street, is a patient in the McKeesport hospital, on account of a compound fracture of the arm between the wrist and elbow, sustained by falling from a tree.

—We have added a line of electric Supplies to our plumbing business and we want your trade. We will give the best there is in the market and do you a good job. J. L. Rodgers company, 372 Donner avenue. 81-tf

—James A. Nicolay, of 910 Knox avenue, is now the proud possessor of a new Ford Sedan car, he and R. T. Dale having gone to Pittsburgh Saturday and driven the new machine home.

—The Dolly Sisters, Roszika and Yancsi, each wear forty-eight complete changes of costume in the course of action of Metro's romantic fantasy "The Million Dollar Dollies" which comes to the Olympic on Thursday. 1t

—The circus at Charleroi attracted hundreds of people from Monessen and the street cars were kept busy the entire day carrying people to and from Charleroi. However, many families drove to the Magic City in their automobiles.

—Girls' Mary Jane ankle tie pumps, fine quality Sea Island duck oak leather soles, good year welt, special—sizes 6 to 8, $1.40; sizes 8½ to 11, $1.75; sizes 11½ to 2, $2.00.—A. Nayhouse, 521-525 Schoonmaker Ave. F-M

—Kept captives in a real Indian oriental palace, meeting with many mysterious adventures until saved by their sweethearts is the fate of the Dolly Sisters in "The Million Dollies" which cot oetms zaPDNnsurSHRR which is at the Olympic Thursday. 1t

—Mrs. Will Davis of Grove City and Miss Sarah Jane Owens of Belle Vernon, has returned home after a visit in Southern Pines, N. C. Mrs. Davis is spending a few days here before returning to her home in Grove City.

—"My Own United States is not a war picture, but a romantic drama with historical characters in events of vital import that hark from the present day to the very infancy of this great republic. At the Olympic theatre Wednesday. 1t

—Over a thousand U. S. sailors appear in the vivid scenes of hand-to-hand combat in "My Own United States," starring Arnold Daly, which will be at the Olympic Wednesday. will be at the Olympic theatre on Wednesday. 1t

What's the use of Carrying a Complete Stock unless Folks Know what You've Got? ADVERTISE.

JOS. SAMUELS
SPECIAL MESSENGER SERVICE

How many times in the past few months have you found it necessary to say

"Well, now we have had these goods on the road for 10 days or more. They ought to be in any time now. You know it's awfully hard to get any through these days," etc.

[illegible] later that same customer may come out of "Bill Pep's" place with the very articles you ordered, but didn't have.

Don't let them stray. Good customers are hard to get—harder to hold. More money is invested in goods, smaller margin than at any time since you entered business.

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Monessen headquarters—Residence, 312 Donner avenue, bell phone 87-J. Kirk's drug store, corner Fourth and Donner. Mikalarias & Berbatis, Fifth and Donner.

Shoots Man Mob Furious

Brownsville, Pa., June 2.—The lockup here was menaced early this morning by a crowd of angry citizens in an attempt to get Charles Hartman, who was arrested here last Saturday night after he had fired six shots from a repeating shotgun into Thomas Nichols, a prominent man of this place, and injured him so seriously that he is expected to die, in the Brownsville General hospital, where he was taken following the shooting. Hartman was smuggled out of the lockup and rushed to the Fayette county jail, where he is being held without bail. Benjamin Holiday a spectator, received a stray shot in his right arm.

Hartman, the police say, following an altercation with Nichols, when he refused to extend a note he held of Hartmen's went to his home and secured a shotgun. Returning down town he spied Nichols standing on a corner and, without any previous warning, it is alleged, he fired six times directly at Nichols, the buckshot riddling Nichols' face, chest and arms. Hartman was arrested and rushed to the lockup, which shortly afterwards was besieged by angry citizens.

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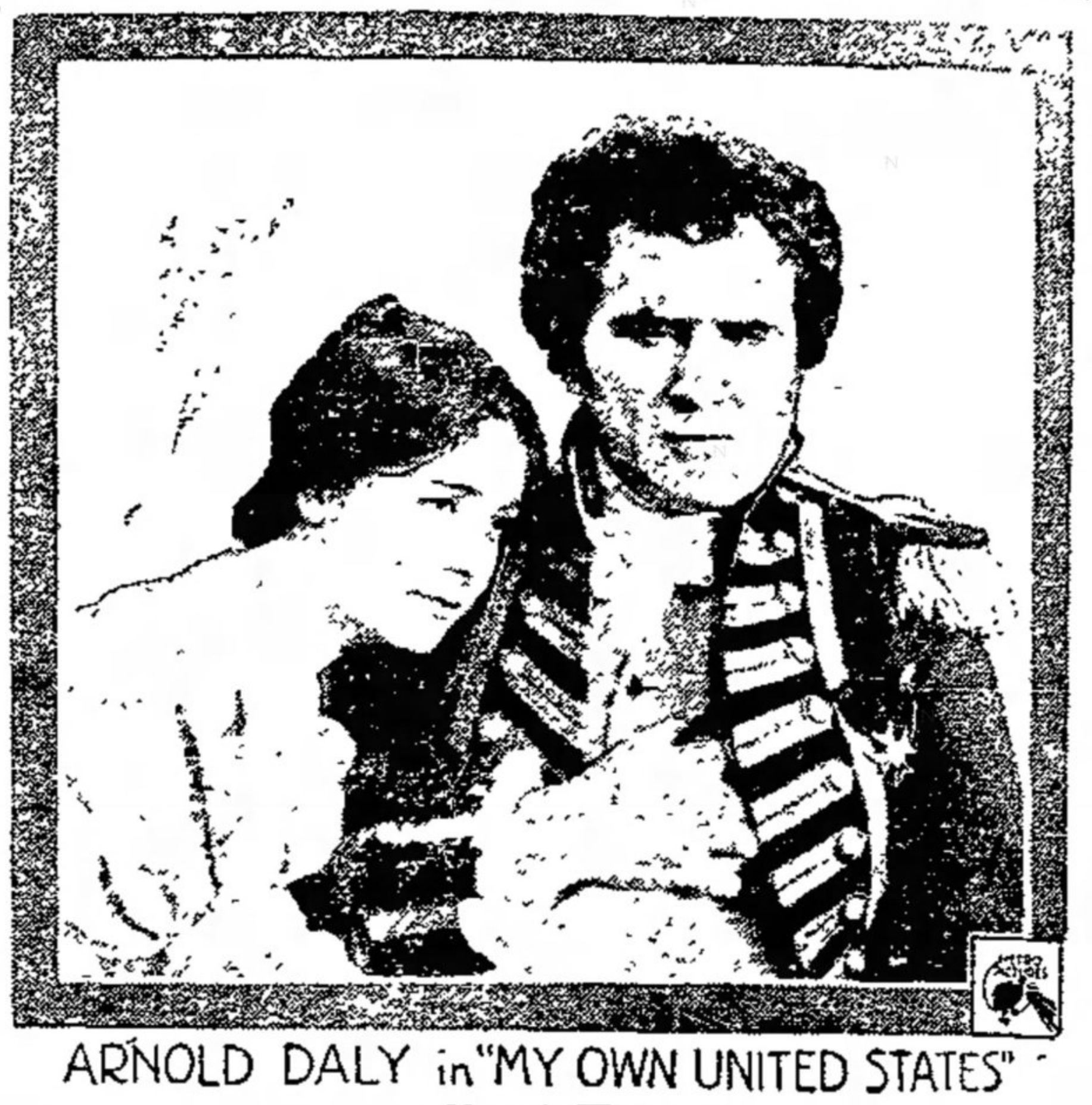
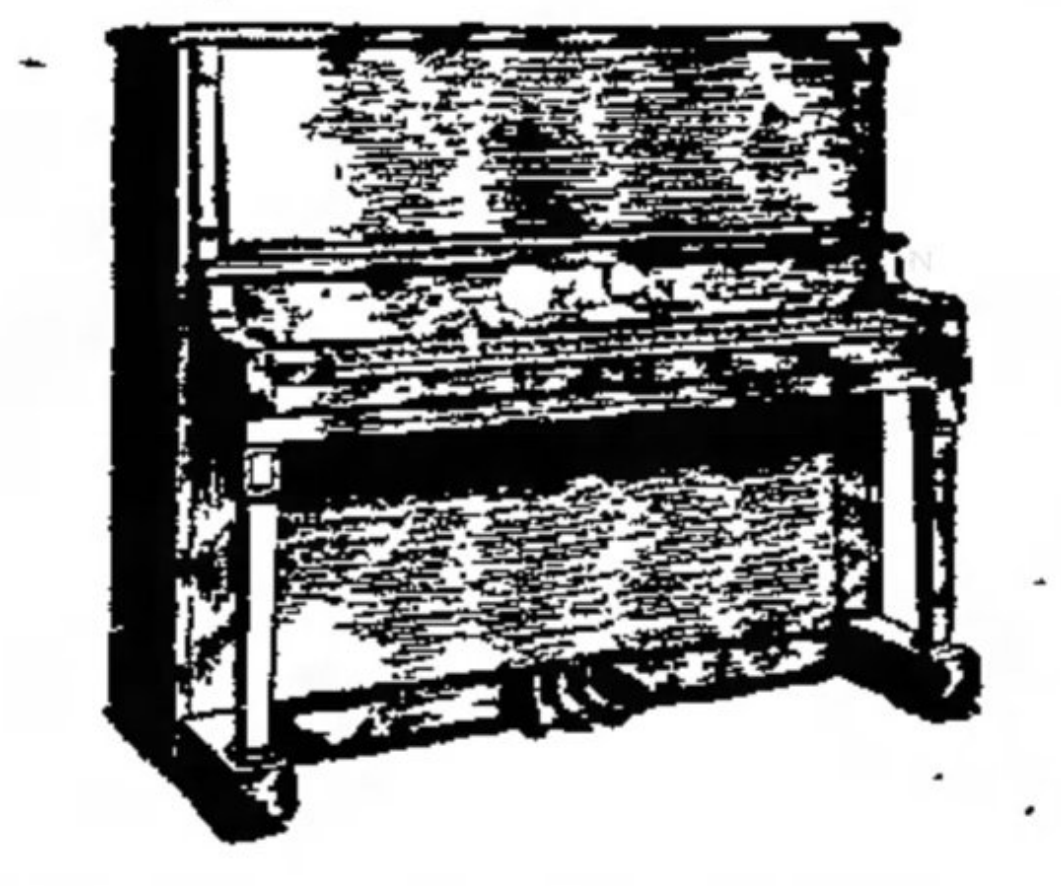


ARNOLD DALY in "MY OWN UNITED STATES"
at Olympic Wednesday



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